



## Kansas City Monarch Baseball Club

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PLAYED ANY  
PLACE

July 1, 1942.

Mrs. Effa Manley,  
71 Crawford St.  
Newark, New Jersey.

Dear Madam:-

Your letter of June 23, to Mr. Wilkinson received and he ask me to answer same as I do most of booking and arranging of the games.

Just saw in the Defender where you defeated the Grays last Sunday and tied the other game in a doubleheader at Washington, also noted where you had 9000 people according to Defender, I thot you would have 10 or 12,000 account of the big ballyhoo we had in the papers and the big crowd the 18th.

The Monarchs will play in Chicago at Wrigley Field July 26, and head East, we could play the Eagles at Newark July 29 or 30, I note your park is available on those dates, I would like to have choice of either date if we play you account would help me making the jump from Chicago in booking the other dates. We could have Satchel pitch at least 4 or 5 innings.

Or-can you play night ball in Newark? I see Brooklyn plays night ball but they have to shut the lights off at 9.20 PM. we could do that and start the game at 7 or 7.15 PM.

Terms would be 40% of the gross receipts and you pay all expenses in staging and promoting the game. Please advise as soon as convenient and state which date suits you best 29 or 30. You know we play at Yankee stadium August 2, and you are playing Cincinnati August 2, I am wondering if a game there with Monarchs and Satchel 29 or 30 would hurt your game August 2, if so lets have your suggestion on it.

Yours truly,

*T. Y. Baird*  
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*Biggest Baseball Attraction of To-Day*